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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Applicant: BRUCE R. KORMAN  
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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
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Sir:

In accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a), Applicant hereby petitions for a one-month extension of time to respond to the outstanding Office Action dated November 26, 1999, or until March 27, 2000 (the first business day following March 26, 2000).

Enclosed is a check for \$55.00 to pay the one-month extension fee in accordance with Rule 1.17(a)(1).

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